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## PROTOCOL SIGNED AT NIAGARA.

Terms Outlined for Composing Differences—Up to Warring Factions.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 24.—Terms for composing all international differences between the United States and Mexico have been concluded. The conditions under which diplomatic relations will be resumed were embodied in a protocol signed to-night by the ambassador from Brazil, the ministers of Chile and Argentina and the American and Mexican delegates.

The character of the settlement is not expected to arouse opposition from the Constitutionalists, who would participate in it, and to a large degree, it would mould the adjustment of all internal disputes. When a new provisional government is established to succeed that headed by Gen. Huerta the result of mediation—recognized as a triumph for Pan-American diplomacy—will become effective.

Coincidentally with the action taken to-night it was announced that the actual selection of a Provisional President, and the organization of the new government will be left to an informal conference of representatives of the Constitutionalists—Luis Cabrera, Rafael Zubaran and Jose Pasconcelos—and the Huerta delegates to the mediation conference.

**No Formal Adjournment.**  
No formal adjournment of mediation will be taken, but there will be no sessions while representatives of the two Mexican factions endeavor to agree on the personnel of the new government, agrarian and educational reforms and other internal problems.

To-night's formal session of mediators and delegates prepared the way for the complete settlement of differences between the United States and Mexico growing out of the failure of a Huerta officer at Tampico to salute the Stars and Stripes.

The single outstanding proviso in the protocol is that the international problem shall be declared adjusted on the establishment of a new provisional government. The protocol reads forth:

"That the United States and Argentina, Brazil and Chile—the mediating countries—shall recognize the new provisional government and that thenceforth diplomatic relations between the United States and Mexico shall be resumed.

**No Indemnity.**  
"That the United States demands no indemnity and does not further exact satisfaction for any of the incidents connected with the patrol of Mexican waters and invasion of the country.

"That a commission shall be appointed to adjust private claims growing out of the revolution and internal incidents."

The protocol was drafted early today and its phraseology telegraphed to Washington for approval.

At 9 o'clock to-night word came from President Wilson and Secretary Bryan authorizing American delegates to sign it.

The effort to finish work on the international points in the peace plan to that all might be complete before the convention of informal meetings of Constitutionalists and Huerta representatives has been in progress since Friday. Then President Wilson informed Minister Naon in Washington that the American government desired to have the Constitutionalists and Huerta government compose their differences as a previous condition to the settling of the international problem.

**Surprising Cure of Stomach Trouble.**  
When you have trouble with your stomach or chronic constipation, don't imagine that your case is beyond help just because your doctor fails to give you relief. Mrs. G. Steegle, Plainfield, N. J., writes: "For over a month past I have been troubled with my stomach. Everything I ate upset it terribly. One of Chamberlain's advertising booklets came to me. After reading a few of the letters from people who had been cured by Chamberlain's Tablets, I decided to try them. I have taken nearly three-fourths of a package of them and can now eat almost everything that I want." For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

## WILL NOT ISSUE SUPPLIES.

Adjutant General Gets Refusal from War Department.

Columbia, June 24.—The following letter was to-day received at the Adjutant General's office from the war department, at Washington:

"To the Adjutant General of South Carolina: In a letter dated June 16, 1914, the Secretary of War advises the Governor of South Carolina as follows: 'Referring to your requisition of May 11, 1914, for ordnance and quartermaster supplies for the use of the organized militia of your State, I regret to inform you that in view of the failure of the authorities of South Carolina to comply with the Federal laws which govern the care, accountability and disposition of government property in the possession of the organized militia, the War Department is obliged to suspend further issues of government property and funds to the organized militia of South Carolina, and to withhold authority for the expenditure of government funds by or for the benefit of the organized militia of South Carolina until the delinquent matters are taken up by the State and brought to a satisfactory settlement. When the organized militia of South Carolina is placed on a satisfactory basis the War Department will consider the withdrawal of the restrictions of which you are informed in this communication and which are effective on and after this date.'

"Requisitions for quartermaster supplies submitted on April 24 and May 11, 1914, and ordnance supplies submitted May 11, 1914, are in accordance with the action of the Secretary of War, noted in the foregoing paragraph returned herewith. The supplies asked for will not be issued.

"By direction of the Secretary of War. A. L. Mills, Brigadier General, G. S."

## You're Bilious and Costive!

Sick headache, bad breath, sour stomach, furred tongue and indigestion, mean liver and bowels clogged. Clean up to-night. Get a 25c. bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills to-day and empty the stomach and bowels of fermenting, gassy foods and waste. A full bowel movement gives a satisfied, thankful feeling—makes you feel fine. Effective, yet mild. Don't gripe. 25c. at your druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve for burns, ad.

## Picnic at High Falls.

There will be a picnic at High Falls on the Fourth of July. Everybody is invited to come and have a good time. Refreshments will be served on the grounds and a platform will be erected for the dance to be held. Remember this occasion and be prepared to come and enjoy the day.

Picnicker.

Calomel, calomel, you can't stay, for LIV-VER-LAX has shown us an easier way. Ask Norman's Drug Store.—Adv.

## Internal Organs Mixed.

Washington, June 24.—With all his organs transposed—his heart being on his right side, the liver and appendix on the left and the large end of the stomach on the right—the case of Thomas Murdock, a negro laborer, who was killed in a fall from a building here, was the subject of comment in medical circles to-day.

An autopsy revealed this curious anatomical phenomenon. The negro's body otherwise was normal and well developed, and seemingly he had enjoyed good health.

## CALOMEL IS A FORM OF DEADLY MERCURY.

Instead of Such Dangerous Stuff, It is Recommended That You Take Dodson's Liver Tone for Constipation.

Dodson's Liver Tone was made to take the place of calomel.

Calomel is a form of mercury—a mineral and a poison. Dodson's Liver Tone is an all-vegetable liquid—never harmful.

What calomel does unpleasantly, and often with danger, for constipation and sluggish liver, Dodson's Liver Tone does for you safely and pleasantly, with no pain and no gripe. It does not interfere in any way with your regular business, habits or diet. You feel good after taking it.

The great success and wide sale of Dodson's Liver Tone are the result of what it does for people. Its merit is backed up by a guarantee of "satisfaction or your money back," as H. M. Barton or Norman Company, the druggists, will tell you.

Dodson's Liver Tone was intended from the start to take the place of calomel. The label on the bottle always has said so, beginning with the first bottle sold.

Dodson's Liver Tone "lives the liver," overcomes constipation agreeably and makes you feel good, and if you are not satisfied completely with it H. M. Barton or Norman Company will hand back the purchase price (50c.) to you with a smile.

When you go to buy a family remedy, don't fail to judge between the plain, simple truth about Dodson's and the loud claims of its imitators. That the public does so accounts for the enormous increase in the sales of Dodson's Liver Tone month after month.—Adv.

## KILLED AND INJURED IN STORM.

Tornado Swept Four States—Property Loss Over \$1,000,000.

St. Paul, Minn., June 24.—Four killed in and near Minneapolis, two fatally and a score seriously injured at Watertown, S. D.; property damage estimated at more than one million dollars, with an almost complete prostration of telegraph and telephone communication for a number of hours, was the reported havoc to-day of last night's wind and rain storm which swept over North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Reports, however, were incomplete here at noon, and it is possible that the loss of life and property damage may be greater than now known.

Apparently the storm struck with greatest severity at Watertown, where it cut through a section of the city for 16 blocks with cyclonic force. Between 250 and 300 buildings were wiped out. Mrs. Carl Backlund and baby and Miss Marie E. Clove were caught in the wreckage of their homes and possibly fatally injured.

In Minneapolis, Esther Munson, 17 years old, was killed when her home collapsed.

Louis Grams and Margaret Kelly were drowned when their canoe was blown over in Lake Harriet. Miss Loretta Grams, of Jordan, Minn., also was caught in a canoe which was swamped, and drowned.

At Eau Claire, Wis., plate glass windows were blown in and trees uprooted. Crop damage was heavy.

At Oshkosh, Wis., the damage is estimated at \$50,000. The village of Omro, near Oshkosh, was destroyed. In Oshkosh several houses were destroyed.

In the vicinity of Appleton, Wis., it is estimated \$100,000 damage was done. Many houses and barns were wrecked and many head of cattle killed.

## 22 Persons Injured.

Watertown, S. D., June 24.—Twenty-two persons were injured, three probably fatally, by a tornado which passed over this section last night and wrecked buildings covering thirty or more blocks in the southern part of the city.

Most of the injured were caught before they had time to escape to cellars or other places of refuge. The usual tornado freaks were to be seen after the storm passed, one of which was the rising of a large barn from its foundations and turning it upside down on a residence. A Rock Island passenger train, well filled, had every window blown out, but none of the passengers suffered serious injury.

The central or business part of the city did not suffer seriously.

## Claims Mysteriously Followed.

LaGrange, Ga., June 24.—T. J. Cartledge, of Greenville, S. C., who was a former employee of the International Agricultural Works, of that place, and who later held a position with a firm in Anniston, Ala., appeared yesterday morning at the office of a local lawyer and stated that he was followed in a mysterious way everywhere he went. He sought the attorney's advice, and later went to the sheriff's office for assistance.

Mr. Cartledge stated that never in his life had he intentionally harmed any one, and that the object of his followers was a great mystery to him. No attempt had ever been made to do him bodily injury, but he was constantly tracked. Mr. Cartledge last year practically lost his vision, and therefore is unable to describe his unknown foes, but he stated that he had been so close to them that he could distinguish two Greeks and three Americans that ride in an automobile and a negro who follows him about.

## Making a Great Nation.

(By Alexander Blackburn.)

Not serried ranks with flags unfurled,  
Not armored ships that gird the world,  
Not hoarded wealth or busy mills,  
Not cattle on a thousand hills,  
Not sages wise, or schools, or laws,  
Not boasted deeds in freedom's cause—

All these may be and yet the State  
In eye of God be far from great.

That land is great which knows the Lord,  
Whose sons are guided by His Word.

Where justice rules 'twixt man and man,  
Where love controls in act and plan,  
Where breathing in his native air  
Each soul finds joy in praise and prayer—

Thus may our country, good and great,  
Be God's delight—man's best estate.

Oh! you calomel, get out of the way and let LIV-VER-LAX do the work. Purely vegetable. Ask Norman's Drug Store.—Adv.

## McGOWAN AGAIN PROMOTED.

South Carolinian Becomes Chief of Important Navy Bureau.

Washington, June 25.—Secretary Daniels, of the Navy Department, announced to-night that he had appointed Pay Inspector Samuel McGowan, of South Carolina, as chief of the bureau of supplies and accounts, to succeed Paymaster General Thos. J. Cowie. Mr. McGowan has had an enviable navy record for efficiency, and it undoubtedly is this that secured for him the appointment to the highest office and honors that an officer of the pay corps can aspire to. He is but 44 years old and is perhaps the youngest officer ever appointed as paymaster general of the navy. He was highly recommended for the office by the commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, of which he was the fleet paymaster until last April, when he was relieved by special order of the Secretary of the Navy and made a member of a board to take up the question of navy yard accounting systems, a matter that the Navy Department and the naval committees in Congress consider of great importance.

Mr. McGowan's salary as paymaster general will be \$6,000 a year.

Pay Inspector McGowan was born in Laurens, September 1, 1870, and entered the naval service as an assistant paymaster from South Carolina March 15, 1894. He was promoted to past assistant paymaster March 30, 1895; to paymaster May 5, 1899, and to pay inspector May 11, 1906, serving in the latter grade as assistant to the bureau of supplies and accounts. (Navy Department,) until January 31, 1907; on special duty in the bureau of supplies and accounts January 31, 1907, to June 10, 1908; as fleet paymaster of the Atlantic fleet, June 15, 1908, to September 30, 1909; as purchasing pay officer, navy yard, Charleston, November 1, 1909, to October 1, 1910; in charge of the navy pay office, Philadelphia, Pa., November 1, 1910, to December 2, 1912; as fleet paymaster of the Atlantic fleet, January 4, 1913, to April 12, 1914; and on special duty in the Navy Department from April 13, 1914, to the present date.

From the above it will be seen that within a period of six years Pay Inspector McGowan has twice been the fleet paymaster of the Atlantic fleet, which is the largest and most important fleet of the navy. His sea service with the fleet, from which he comes fresh to the Navy Department, especially qualifies him for the office of paymaster general, for he is thus familiar with the sea-going needs of the navy, which for him and for all bureaus is an important factor. It will also be seen that Pay Inspector McGowan has served as assistant to the bureau of supplies and accounts, and is therefore thoroughly familiar with the work of that bureau.

**Is Sickness A Sin?**  
A Sin of Commission or a Sin of Omission? Or Both?  
We transgress Nature, laws, the liver strikes, then we omit to neglect until we ache or sicken.  
Loosen the dammed-up bile. Keep it loose with the old time- tried May Apple Root, (Podophyllin). Podophyllin with the gripe taken out is called  
**PODOPIAX**

## Cobb Fined for Assault on Butcher.

Detroit, Mich., June 25.—Tyrus Cobb, the base ball player, pleaded guilty in justice court to-day to a charge of disturbing the peace and paid a fine of \$50. Had he not paid the fine he would have had to spend six months in the house of correction.


Cobb and Wm. L. Carpenter, in whose meat shop the ball player caused a disturbance last Saturday night, had a dispute over the purchase of some fish, and when Cobb flourished a revolver Harold Harding, an employee, stepped in and a fight ensued. The ball player sustained a fractured thumb which has kept him out of the ball games this week.

## Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

## "Arson Squad" Fires Church.

Belfast, Ireland, June 25.—An "arson squad" of suffragettes caused extensive damage to the Episcopal church at Ballylesken, near here, early to-day. Destruction of the entire church was averted only by the timely arrival of the sexton, who succeeded in extinguishing the blaze. The woodwork of the building had been drenched with petroleum.



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R. C. CARTER W. A. GRANT  
PHONE 34.

## NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION.

United States of America,  
State of South Carolina,  
County of Oconee.  
Town of Walhalla.

Whereas, a petition signed by a majority of the freeholders of the Town of Walhalla has been presented to the Town Council of Walhalla, praying that an election be ordered in said town on the question of issuing bonds to the amount of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum, and running for forty (40) years, redeemable after twenty (20) years, the proceeds of said bonds to be used to build and operate in and for the Town of Walhalla an electric lighting plant:

## Now, it is therefore Ordered—

I. That an election be, and it is hereby, ordered, to be held in the Town of Walhalla on MONDAY, the 6th day of JULY, 1914, on the question of issuing bonds of the Town of Walhalla to the amount of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum, to run for a period of forty (40) years, redeemable after twenty (20) years; the proceeds of said bonds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be used for the building and operating, in the Town of Walhalla, an electric lighting plant.

II. That at said election the qualified registered electors of the Town of Walhalla shall be eligible to cast their ballots.

III. That the polling place for said election shall be at the office of Jas. M. Moss, on Main street, Town of Walhalla; that the polls shall be opened at eight o'clock in the forenoon and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

IV. That at said election those desiring to vote in favor of said bond issue shall cast a ballot whereon shall be printed or written: "For bonds—\$6,000.00, not exceeding 5%—Yes," and those desiring to vote against said bond issue shall cast a ballot whereon shall be printed or written: "For Bonds—\$6,000.00, not exceeding 5%—No."

V. That at said election each elector shall cast a ballot whereon shall be printed or written the names of these citizens of the Town of Walhalla, who, when elected, shall be known as the Commissioners of Public Works of the Town of Walhalla, whose term of office shall be respectively two, four and six years, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

VI. That the managers for this election shall be, and they are hereby, appointed, to wit: T. A. Grant, R. W. Grubbs and H. G. Langston, who shall conduct said election in accordance with the Statute and Laws governing such elections.

Done and ratified in Town Council assembled, and by authority of the same, and corporate seal affixed this the 22d day of June, 1914.

W. M. BROWN, Mayor.  
JAS. M. MOSS,  
Town Clerk and Treasurer.  
June 24, 1914. 25-26

## Rev. S. M. Cherry Dead.

Nashville, Tenn., June 22.—Rev. S. M. Cherry, aged 79, for 55 years an active minister of the Southern Methodist church, died yesterday in Sumner county. He was a Confederate chaplain during the Civil War.

## Forty Passengers Injured.

Sandusky, Ohio, June 22.—Forty persons were injured, several probably fatally, when a car on the Lake Shore Electric Railroad collided with a work train standing on a siding near here late to-day. Few passengers escaped uninjured.

## ELECTRIC BITTERS

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SENECA, S. C.

## NOTICE OF ELECTRIC CURRENT CONTRACT ELECTION.

United States of America,  
State of South Carolina,  
County of Oconee.  
Town of Walhalla.

Whereas, on the 10th day of June, 1914, a certain contract was entered into and executed by and between the Town of Walhalla, by the hands of W. M. Brown, Mayor, and James M. Moss, Town Clerk and Treasurer, and Walhalla Light and Power Company, a corporation, for the purchase by the Town of Walhalla of electric current for lighting and power purposes; and, whereas, said contract provides for the purchase of electric current in the maximum amount of Fifty Horse Power, for lighting purposes, for the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars per annum, payable quarterly, on the first days of January, April, July and October of each and every year, for a period of twenty years, and also for the purchase of electric current, for power purposes in the day time, in the maximum amount of Fifty Horse Power, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars, payable quarterly, on the first days of January, April, July and October of each and every year, at the option of the Town of Walhalla, as stipulated in and by the terms of said contract:

Now, it is therefore Ordered—  
I. That an election be, and it is hereby, ordered, to be held in the Town of Walhalla on MONDAY, the 6th day of JULY, 1914, on the question of ratifying and confirming said contract.

II. That at said election the qualified registered electors of the Town of Walhalla shall be eligible to cast their ballot.

III. The polling place for said election shall be in the office of James M. Moss, on Main Street, in the Town of Walhalla; that the polls shall be open at eight o'clock in the forenoon and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

IV. That at said election those desiring to vote in favor of said electric current contract, shall cast a ballot whereon shall be printed or written: "For electric current contract with Walhalla Light and Power Company, 50 Horse Power—Yes," and those desiring to vote against said electric current contract shall cast a ballot whereon shall be printed or written: "For electric current contract with Walhalla Light and Power Company, 50 Horse Power—No."

V. That the managers for this election shall be, and they are hereby, appointed, to wit: T. A. Grant, R. W. Grubbs and H. G. Langston, who shall conduct said election in accordance with the Statute and Laws governing such elections.

Done and ratified in Town Council assembled, and by authority of the same, and corporate seal affixed this the 22d day of June, 1914.

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